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SOCIETY NEWS

Society matrons are home again, and very decidedly at home. Town appeared far more deserted than in summer, there was absolutely "nothing doing" the past week, for one and all were in the midst of having their houses "gone over." Members of the local smart set have servant troubles, too, and are gaining enough experience to have taken the same part in an unusual episode that confronted society women recently in San Francisco. They laid aside their hats and coats and in a public restaurant served luncheon to two hundred persons. The decision to take the part of waitresses to the patronesses of the Woman's Exchange was made in a minute, immediately after the girl waiters went on a strike and left in a body.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCarty (Marguerite Gilbert), whose marriage took place in New York a fortnight ago, passed a few days in town the guests of the Celora Martin Stoddards, of North First avenue. They left Thursday for Los Angeles where they will reside.

Mrs. Celora Martin Stoddard entertained informally Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Neil McCarty. Those who had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. McCarty were Mrs. Sidney Charles Goldman, Mrs. Joseph Melzer, Miss Nell Conway, Miss Norma Sweeney, Miss Ruth Dorris, Miss Harriet Hurley, Miss Rena Dorris, Miss George Bailey, Miss Marion Dorris, Miss Ruth Ainsworth and Miss Ruth Jessop.

Mrs. Harry R. Tittle, of 1610 North Central avenue, has returned from Prescott where she passed the summer months.

Mrs. David Goldberg, of North Central avenue, gave an informal tea Monday afternoon. Her guests included Mrs. Joseph Melzer, Mrs. George Fowler Gardiner, Mrs. Sidney Charles Goldman, Mrs. Aaron Goldberg, Mrs. Neil McCarty, Mrs. Celora Martin Stoddard, Miss Nell Conway, Miss Ruth Ainsworth, Miss Helen Laird, Miss Ruth Dorris, Miss Harriet Hurley, Miss Rena Dorris, Miss Ruth Jessop, Miss Marion Dorris and Miss Sally Jacobs.

Mrs. Joseph Kibbey returned Sunday from an enjoyable stay of several months in California. The various beach resorts, San Francisco and Los Angeles were included in Mrs. Kibbey's itinerary. In the latter place she was the guest of Mrs. Walter Kibbey, who accompanied her to Phoenix and will remain until after the fair.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Riordan, daughter of Mrs. D. M. Riordan, and Lieutenant William C. Whitener, U. S. A., which will take place at the Riordan residence in Los Angeles, October 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seabury, of 60 Westmoreland place, gave a prettily appointed dinner last evening complimentary to Ensign Arthur Dysart. A cluster of roses formed the table's attractive centerpiece. Covers were laid for Ensign Dysart, Dr. and Mrs. Louis Dysart and Miss Ruth Ainsworth.

Secretary of State Sidney P. Osborn and Mrs. Osborn have given up their apartment at the Adams and are domiciled at 1525 West Adams street.

Miss Pauline Bever, of Cedar Rapids, will arrive the latter part of the month and be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Winsor Day during the early winter season.

Mrs. W. J. Riffley, of North Central avenue, returned Thursday from California where a few weeks' stay supplemented a delightful summer at Iron Springs. Miss Mary Joynt of Toledo, is the guest of Mrs. Riffley and will undoubtedly be a popular addition to the younger set.

Mrs. S. J. Michelson, of North First avenue, returned Wednesday from a three months' absence in Chicago. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ralph Green, who

will pass the winter here. Miss Dorothy Michelson and Miss Lena Michelson, who summered in Seattle, were also among the week's returned travelers.

Mrs. Joseph Thalheimer and Miss Emma Thalheimer have returned from Ocean Park, where they passed the heated term.

Mr. and Mrs. James S. Griffin, of 1165 North Second street, gave a charming dinner Wednesday. American Beauty roses decorated with charming effect. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Spiro, the guests of honor, Mrs. E. S. Griffin, Mrs. J. W. Kalfus, Miss Kalfus and Jack Griffin.

A pretty home wedding took place Wednesday evening when Miss Gladys Flora Kohl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kohl, became the bride of Joseph Clark. The Kohl country place on the Maricopa road was artistically decorated in roses and potted plants. The porch, where the service was read, was especially attractive in a wealth of flowers. An archway of roses and lilies with graceful loops of tulle intermingled was the background for the bridal party.

Miss Bertha Kohl, a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She was becomingly costumed in a pink lingerie gown and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses. Little Idella Varney in a dainty white frock was the flower girl.

The bride, who is a beautiful girl, was charming in white satin ornamented in rare old lace. Her bouquet was a shower of roses and ferns.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gaylord, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shiert, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. P. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. J. Varney, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. McMurtry, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Clark, Miss Winifred Waters, Miss Katherine Gaylord, Miss Grace Kohl, Miss Gertrude Bellar, Miss Clessie Varney, Miss Maude Sullivan, Miss Vera Dowell, Harry Stuart, William Ray, Frank Stuart, Leo Varney, Dowell Kohl, Gordon Varney, Glen Kohl, P. Sullivan, Bert Kohl, James Sullivan, Wm. Kohl, Nicholas Osborn and Claudis Dowell.

Miss Dorothea Packard, of Douglas, arrived Friday and will pass the winter here the guest of Miss Blanche Oster, of 413 North Seventh avenue.

Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson, who summered in Flagstaff, is concluding her stay in northern Arizona with a few weeks in Seligman. She will open her town house, 616 North First avenue, the latter part of the week.

In celebration of his birthday a surprise party was given V. A. Thompson Wednesday evening at the Van Buren street residence of the Thompsons. "Sapolo" was played. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds and Miss Thelma Greer were the prize winners. There were present, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gress, Mr. and Mrs. John Ray, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. McCall, Mr. and Mrs.

L. W. Greer, Miss Thelma Greer, Miss Beatrice Greer, and Leslie Greer, Jr.

A party comprising Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rawlins and Lee Middleton, of Globe, and Mrs. W. B. Kelly, of Clifton, motored to Phoenix Friday, leaving again that evening for Los Angeles. During their brief stay in town they were charmingly entertained at tea by Mrs. E. V. Baum, of North Seventh avenue. They anticipate returning the latter part of the month to be among the out of town visitors fair week.

Mr. and Mrs. Winsor Day and Reverend William J. Scarlett were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Atha, of "Esperanza," Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Summerfield (Gertrude Melzer) will arrive in Los Angeles today from Canada. They do not plan to visit in Phoenix until the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCarty, who were the recipients of much hospitality during their week's stay in town, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Melzer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster H. Rockwell are established at the Adams for the present. They will occupy their country place, "Buena Vista," within a month.

Miss Tyler Barbee, of Tennessee, who is the guest of Miss Effie Irvin, of South Seventh avenue, was the inspiration for a picnic at Granite Reef Sunday. Eight were in the party.

Attorney General and Mrs. George Purdy Bullard, of North Central avenue, entertained informally at dinner Sunday complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Akers.

Miss Lucy Grant and Miss Jessie Grant have returned from a three months' absence in southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Winsor Day were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Foster H. Rockwell, of the Adams, Monday.

Mrs. Harry Goldberg, Mrs. Aaron Goldberg and Mrs. David Goldberg were the guests of Mrs. W. J. Kingsbury, of Tempe, Wednesday.

Among the charming visitors who will be in Phoenix this winter is Miss Kathryn Weiss, of Los Angeles, who will be the guest of Miss Norma Sweeney, of North Central avenue.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the week was the dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rowlands Tuesday. Their residence on North Fourth avenue was decorated in a profusion of pink roses that were also the central ornament of the table about which were seated Mr. and Mrs. Foster H. Rockwell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green, Mr. and Mrs. Roy S. Goodrich, Alexander Baker and Joe Cassou. Mr. and Mrs. Rowlands completed the evening's pleasure by entertaining their guests at the Coliseum.

Tea Table Chat

Just listen! Two of the Eligibles (it is spelled with a capital E) have gone in for real estate. At least that is the interpretation you might place upon it and then again—Well, Central avenue property, and purchased with a view of erecting pretentious residences doesn't seem exactly like the way to launch a business, especially trying to keep it from the papers. It's getting to be quite the thing not to announce the engagement until a few weeks before the marriage and the weddings you've heard rumored are not to take place until mid-winter at least. Horrid not to know things, isn't it?

Quite the most Eligible of the Eligibles (is that naming him?) refused to be interviewed. A calm, cool "no" and "really, I can't say," and "I don't feel at liberty to discuss the matter," were irritating enough but to have him finally thaw and say "You may report progress," and not get another word on the subject,—maddening, don't you think? He may have meant much, however.

Alice Redewill is perfectly delighted to be home again and now that the greetings, which have been extremely cordial, are over, everyone is wondering if she will give a concert in Phoenix before her return to Paris the first of the year. She is Harold Bauer's star student and will make her debut either in London or Paris early in the spring. She recently returned from Catalina where the Redewills entertained a large house party. Among their guests was Madame Elinor Edwards, who chaperoned Miss Redewill after her mother's departure from Paris and accompanied her on her trip across. She visited in Phoenix before her return to France a fortnight ago.

Edgar Woodward and Edwin Marshall "got the habit" at Iron Springs and are now sacrificing the rose garden of the Marshall place in Westmoreland for a tennis court. The country club is "so beastly far" that this will undoubtedly prove the more popular court, more exclusive, too.

If the plans of a few of the most prominent members of the Bachelors' club do not miscarry, there will be a "swagger" event on the winter's calendar that will make you all "sit up and take notice." The fact is the club isn't what is used to be and really should be more than it ever was. Instead of giving four dances



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Club Notes

a season, the scheme is to have one brilliant function, a cotillion possibly with elaborate decorations, smart favors and all that sort of thing.

Oh, yes, there are to be ever so many new members—chaps who have grown up or remained undiscovered until the present time.

Vacation days are over for club women and in the course of a fortnight all of the federated organizations will meet. The College club held its initial meeting of the season Wednesday at the residence of Mrs. E. T. Collings, of 812 North Second avenue. The greater part of the afternoon was given over to the election of officers with the result that Mrs. A. W. Morrill was chosen president, Mrs. Tate first vice-president, Mrs. H. B. Wilkinson second vice president, Miss Helen Armstrong secretary, and Miss Anne Garrett, treasurer. The lunch and rest room the club will open shortly came up for brief discussion, nothing of a definite nature being determined. The next regular meeting will be held at the Arizona School of Music November 6. "Modern Drama" will be the topic.

At a meeting of the Glendale Woman's club to be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, Wednesday afternoon, plans will be accepted for a club house, erection of which will be begun immediately. The club members have been indefatigable workers to raise this fund, netting the largest amount from a two days' carnival that ranks as the most pretentious event of the kind ever undertaken by amateurs in the state. Three hundred and seventy-five dollars was added to the fund by this affair. A series of unique entertainments will be given throughout the year for the same purpose. Mrs. J. G. Hammeis will preside at this week's meeting.

The Friday club inaugurated its

house committee; Mrs. W. K. James, Mrs. Ernest Lewis and Mrs. W. A. Farish, program committee.

The first rehearsal of the Phoenix Choral society for the season 1912-13 will be held Monday evening, Oct. 7, at the Arizona School of Music, at 7:30 o'clock. The "Hymn of Praise" by Mendelssohn and the selected choruses which will be used for the first concert.

A delightful feature of the Tuesday meeting of the Madison Improvement club, was the reading given by Mrs. Andrew Downing, the guest of honor, who gave original selections. Mrs. Clarence Smith read a clever article on "Arizona Birds."

and an impromptu musical number completed the program.

Mrs. Helen S. Bury, superintendent of the woman's department of the state fair, returned from San Francisco Friday. She will shortly announce her committees and the complete premium lists.

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